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GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 30 of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969 (18 of 1969), the State Government with the approval of the Central Government, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths Rules, 1999, namely : -

Short title and commencement : 1. (1) These rules may be called the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Rules, 2022.
(2) These rules shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

Amendment of rule 10 : 2. (1) In the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths Rules, 1999 (hereinafter referred to as 'the said rules'), for rule 10 and the entries made thereto, the following shall be substituted, namely :-

"Where the birth of any child had been registered without a name, the parent or guardian of such child shall, within 12 (twelve) months from the date of registration of the birth of child, give information regarding the name of the child to the Registrar either orally or in writing :

Provided that if the information is given after the aforesaid period of 12 (twelve) months, which shall be reckoned as under

The sub-rule (1) (a and b) of Rule 10 shall be substituted, namely : -

- (i) (a) in case where the registration had been made prior to the date of commencement of the said rules, further 03 (three) years period from the date of commencement of the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Rules, 2022 shall be given, OR

- (b) in case where the registration had been made after the date of commencement of the said rules and 15 (fifteen) years period from the date of registration has already been lapsed, they shall also be given 03 (three) years period from the date of commencement of the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Rules, 2022. In respect of those cases, where 15 (fifteen) years period from the date of registration has not been lapsed, they shall be allowed to avail the 15 (fifteen) years period, OR
- (ii) in case where the registration is made after the date of commencement of the Sikkim Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Rules, 2022, the period of 13 (thirteen) years from the date of such registration, subject to the provisions of sub-section (4) of section 23 of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969 ,-
- the Registrar shall,-
- (a) if the register is in possession forthwith enter the name in the relevant column of the concerned form in the register on payment of a late fee of rupees five.
- (b) if the register is not in his possession and if the information is given orally, make a report giving necessary particulars, and, if the information is given in writing, forward the same to the officer specified by the State Government in this behalf for making the necessary entry on payment of a late fee of rupees five.

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